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*Donald W. Reynolds Center for  
American Art and Portraiture  
National Portrait Gallery*

# National Portrait Gallery

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## Visiting the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor

A Social Narrative

**I am going to the National Portrait Gallery soon. There are many things to see at the Gallery.**



**A portrait shows us what a person looked like. I may know the person in a portrait but if I don't that is okay.**

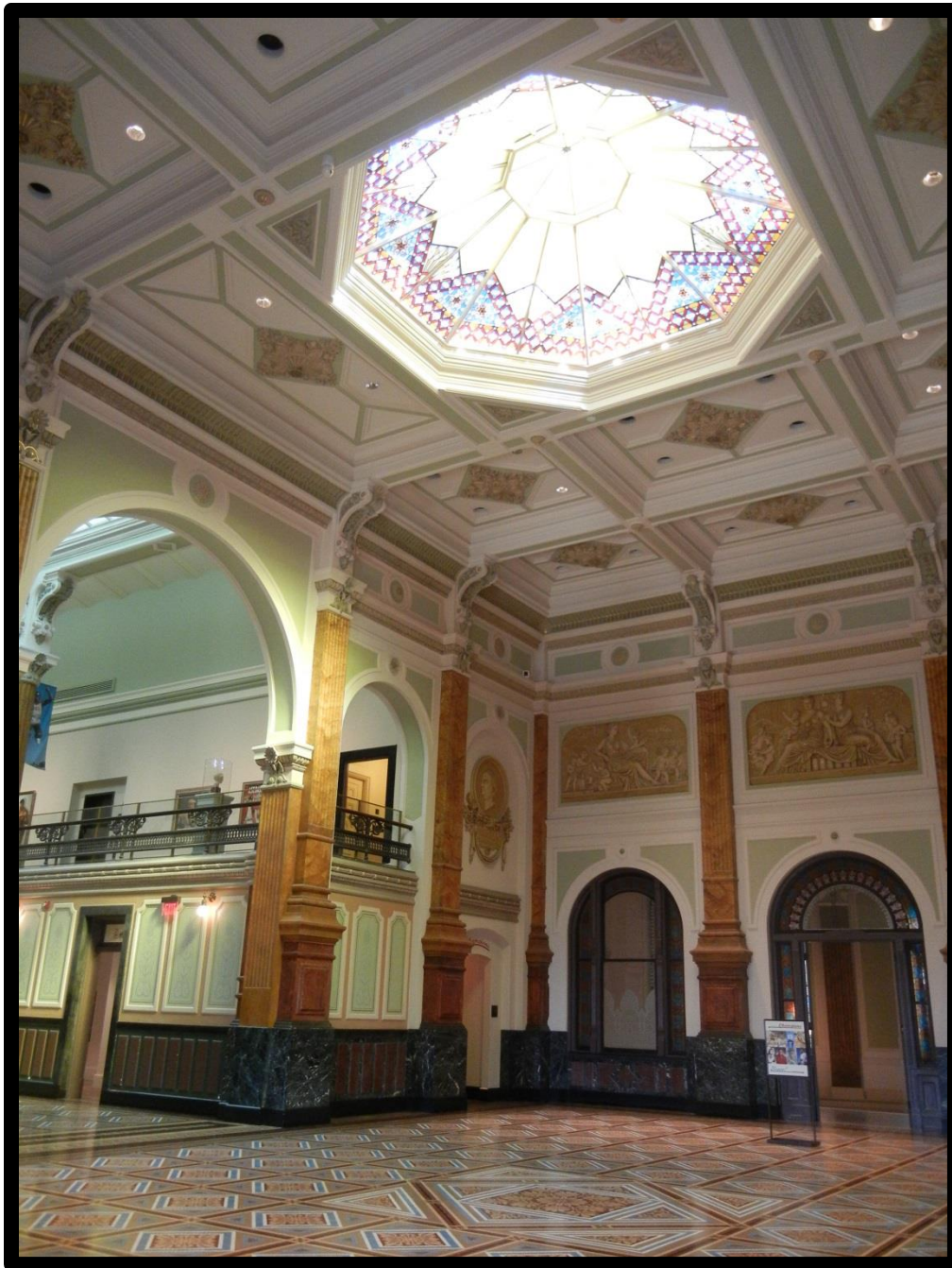




**A portrait can be a painting, a sculpture, a photo, or many other things.**



**I may take the elevator or stairs to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor where I may see the Great Hall.**



**On the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor there are three exhibitions. An exhibition is a group of portraits shown together.**





One exhibition is called *Twentieth Century Americans*. In this exhibition, I may see portraits of people from the year 1900 until today.



There are four rooms for *Twentieth Century Americans*. I can enter each room from the Great Hall.





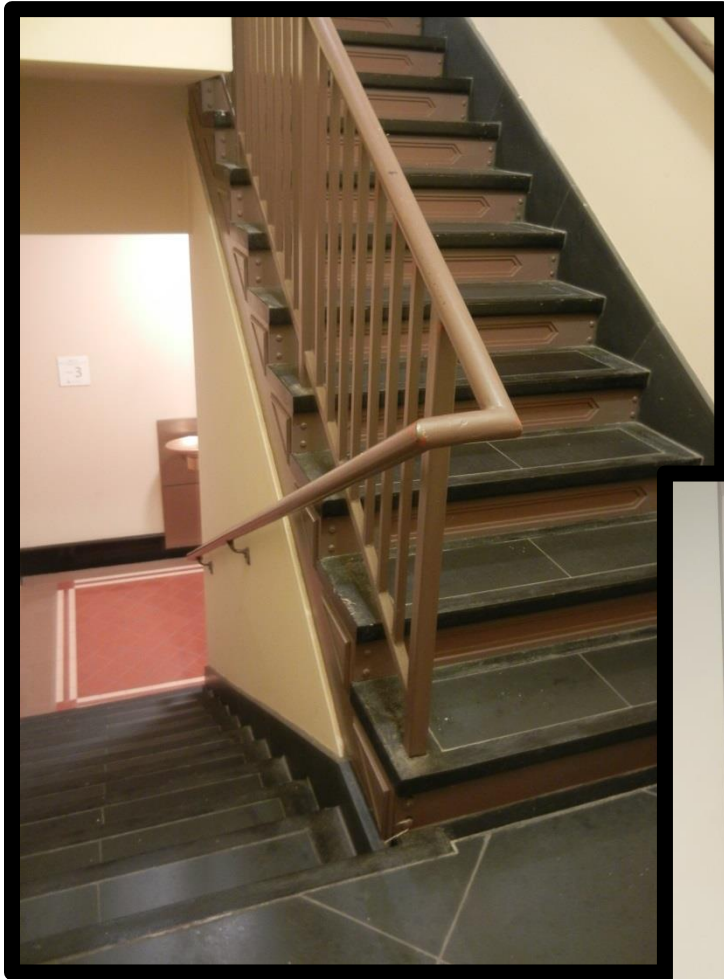
**I may see and hear televisions.**



**I may go upstairs to see the exhibitions on the mezzanine. The mezzanine is like a balcony.**

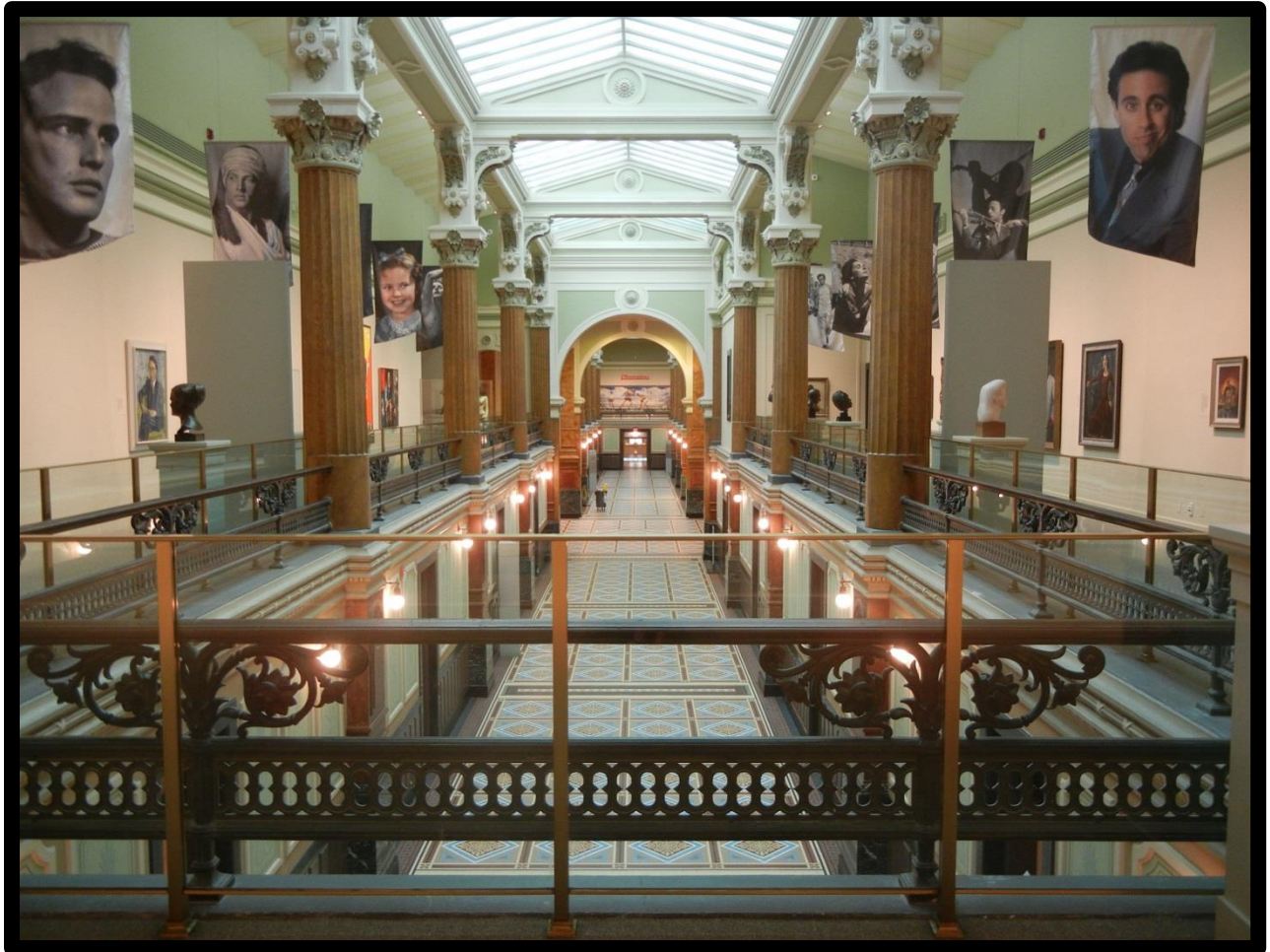


**I may walk up stairs or take the elevator to get to the mezzanine.**





**I can see the whole Great Hall from the mezzanine.**

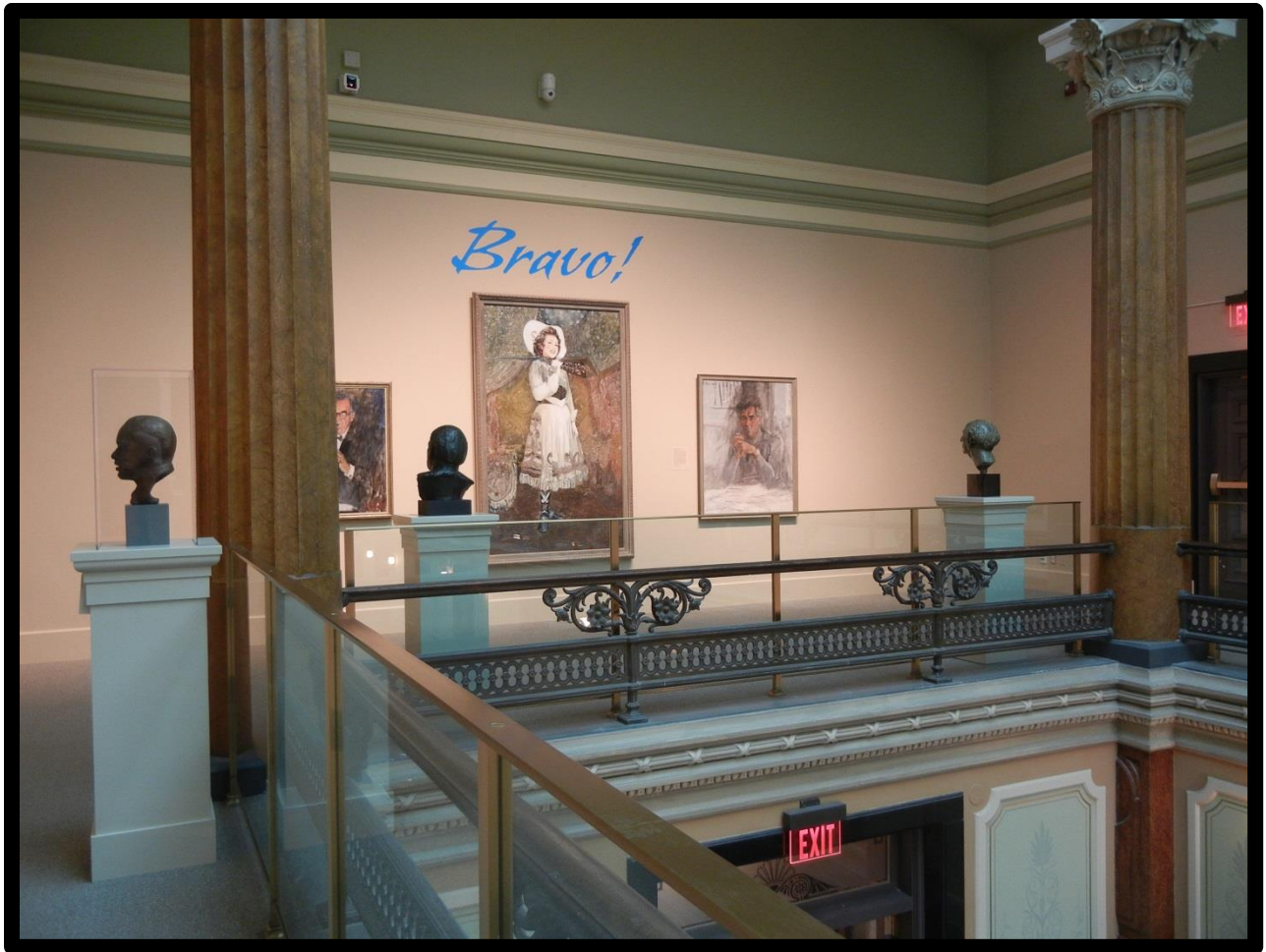


I may see the *Champions* exhibition. There are portraits of athletes there.





I may visit the ***Bravo!*** Exhibition which includes portraits of actors and singers.





**I am going to the National Portrait Gallery.**

**I will go to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor and the Great Hall.**

**I will see portraits of *Twentieth Century Americans*.**

**I may go up to the mezzanine.**

**I may see portraits from *Champions* and *Bravo!*.**